

## BENNETT FAMILY (3)

*NB: The following is prepared from Falkland Islands Registers and files – there may be other family born outside the Falklands. Unless stated otherwise, all dated births, deaths and marriages occurred in the Falklands and all numbered graves are in Stanley Cemetery. Various spellings of names are recorded as written at the time.*

**Frank Parker BENNETT** was born circa 1856 (*not in the Falkland Islands*) to ? and ? **BENNETT**.

**Frank Parker BENNETT**, age 21, British, AB was recorded as part of the crew of the 1237 ton vessel *Langdale* of Liverpool on route from Melbourne to Sydney, 20 January 1878.

Frank was married to **Mary Ellen JONES** (*not in the Falkland Islands*).

Frank was the master of the barque *Embleton*, owned by P Iredale & Son, from 1885 to 1890 and was listed in the Gore's Directories of 1887 to 1889 as a master mariner living in the West Derby area of Liverpool.

The 1196 ton barque *Embleton* of Liverpool under F P Bennett arrived 31 October 1889 from Ardosan suffering from stress of weather. The foremast was seriously damaged having experience frightful weather off Cape Horn. The *Embleton* was bound for Tacoma, Puget Sound with general cargo and the master was taking his wife round with him. [FIM Jan 1890]

The *Embleton* sailed 24 March 1890.

The barque *Embleton* under E P Bennett sailed 2 July 1891 from Puget Sound bound for Cork.

## FIRST GENERATION

### Children of Frank and Mary BENNETT:

1. **James Martin Stanley BENNETT** born 11 March 1890 in Stanley and baptised 14 March 1890 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as master mariner and his godparents as John Martel, Harry Blake and Jane Blake.